

Campaign Finance Disclosure Statement

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County, municipal and school candidates file in the office where you filed your nominating petition. Statewide PACs, political party, ballot question and other committees file statement with the Secretary of State's Office.

Mail to Secretary of State's Office, Election Department, 500 E Capitol Ave., Ste. 204, Pierre, SD 57501-5070
 Fax to 605-773-6580 or email to kea.warne@state.sd.us **Fax and email images must contain the signature and the original must be filed in our office within one week following the date the fax/email was received.**

Check here if you are a legislative candidate filing a pre-primary or pre-general report and received and spent less than \$10,000. If so, you only need to complete pages 1 & lines 2 & 7 of page 8 of this report.

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 See pages 9 & 10 of the Guideline Book for specific instructions on completing this report.

Name of Committee Equality South Dakota Political Action Committee
 registered - 610 So Grand Avenue, Harrisburg SD 57032

Complete Street and Postal Address treasurer - 928 8th Street, Brookings SD 57006

Name of Person Making Report Lawrence C. Novotny

Daytime Phone Number 605-691-9129 Evening Phone Number 605-692-6026

Email Address treasurer's personal e-mail: actup@itctel.com

If you are a candidate, what office are you seeking? n/a

If you are a ballot question committee, indicate which measure(s) the committee was involved with during the reporting period and whether the measure was supported or opposed.

n/a

Type of Campaign Statement 2007 year-end

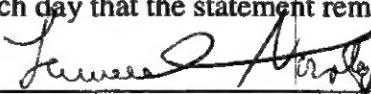
Pre-election, year-end, mid-year (mid-year for ballot questions committees only), amendment, supplement or termination

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The following verification must be completed before submitting report.

VERIFICATION OF PERSON MAKING REPORT

I Lawrence C. Novotny (print name legibly), certify that I have examined this report and to the best of my knowledge and belief it is true, correct and complete. I also understand that failure to timely file any statement, amendment, or correction required subjects the treasurer responsible for filing to a civil penalty of fifty dollars per day for each day that the statement remains delinquent.

Date: January 07, 2008


 Signature of Treasurer

January 07, 2008
 File this
Chris Nelson
 SECRETARY OF STATE

Statement of Purpose and Goals:

If you are a political action committee or a ballot question committee, you must list the full name, street address, and postal address of the organization with which the committee is connected or affiliated, or if the committee is not connected or affiliated with any one organization, the trade, profession, or primary interest of the committee.

Name of Organization: _____

Street and Postal Address: _____

Trade, profession, or primary interest of the committee: _____

Check here if your committee is incorporated under federal or state laws for liability purposes only.

The following verification must be completed before submitting statement.

VERIFICATION OF PERSONS MAKING REPORT

We _____ (print both names legibly), certify that we have examined this statement and to the best of our knowledge and belief it is true, correct and complete. We also understand that failure to timely file any statement, amendment, or correction required subjects the treasurer responsible for filing to a civil penalty of fifty dollars per day for each day that the statement remains delinquent.

Date: _____ Signature of candidate or chair

Date: _____ Signature of treasurer

The candidate or treasurer of a political committee shall file an updated statement of organization not later than fifteen days after any change in the information contained on the most recently filed statement of organization.

Submit Statement of Organization to:
 Secretary of State, Elections Department
 500 East Capitol Ave., Ste 204
 Pierre, SD 57501

or fax to 605-773-6580 or email to kea.warne@state.sd.us

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County, municipal and school candidates file with the person in charge of the local election.

Schedule A – Direct Contributions

This schedule is used for reporting all direct contributions. You must keep a record of all contributors, but for this report you may combine all contributions of \$100 or less from individuals and enter this sum as unitemized contributions on the first line below. Any contribution of more than \$100 or aggregate during a calendar year from an individual and all contributions from political parties and PAC's must be entered as a separate item (itemized) giving the amount, name, residence address, city and state of the contributor. Any contribution from a federal political committee or political committee organized outside this state shall also include the name and internet website address of the filing office where the committee regularly files. Each type of contributor has their own section for itemization. This schedule may be duplicated if you need more space or you may attach additional sheets of paper.

Unitemized Contributions from Individuals:

*\$ 75000

Itemized Contributions from Individuals

Total of Itemized Contributions from Individuals:

*\$ 12775.00

Schedule A – Direct Contributions (continued)

Itemized Contributions from Political Parties

Total of Itemized Contributions from Political Parties:

*\$

Itemized Contributions from South Dakota Political Action Committees (PAC's) or South Dakota candidate committees - All contributions from PAC's must be itemized.

Total of Itemized Contributions from South Dakota Political Action Committees and South Dakota Candidate Committees:

*\$

Schedule A- Direct Contributions (continued)

Itemized Contributions from Federal Political Action Committees or Political Action Committees (PACS) and Candidate Committees organized outside this state. All contributions from Federal or out-of-state PAC's must be itemized and include the PAC name and internet website address of the filing office where the committee regularly files their campaign finance report.

Total of Itemized Contributions from Political Action Committees:

~~*\$ 12775.00~~

Total of All Direct Contributions (Sum of all lines with an *)

\$ 12775.00

Schedule B - In Kind Contributions

Report all non-cash contributions of goods or services and the estimated fair market value. If the contribution is from a federal political committee or political committee organized outside this state list the name and internet website address of the filing office where the committee regularly files their campaign finance report.

Description of Non-Cash Contribution	Name and Residence Address or Name and Internet Website Address	Estimated Value

Total:

6

Schedule C - Other Income

Use this schedule to report any refunds, rebates, interest earned, sale of property, or other income which is not a direct contribution.

Total:

5

Schedule D - Establishing and Administration of Committee/Solicitation Costs

List a categorical description and the estimated value of funds or donations by any organization to its political committee for establishing and administering the political committee or solicitation costs of the political committee.

Organization Name & Categorical Description for direct funds	Estimated Value
Total:	0

Total:

1000

Schedule E – Expenditures

This schedule is to report all expenditures relating to a candidate's campaign. Categories have been provided for reporting common expenses. All other expenses should be listed. **All contributions to candidates and committees must be listed individually.**

Total Expenditures:

34.45

Schedule F - Debts and Obligations Owed by Committee

This schedule is to report all of the committee's obligations which are incurred but unpaid at the end of the reporting period. If a service has been contracted but not billed, estimate the amount of the obligation. You must include the terms, interest rate and repayment schedule of each loan and the nature of each obligation.

Total Debt Owed by Committee

6

Schedule G – Loans Owed to Committee

This schedule is to report the amount of each loan owed to the political committee or political party. The amount of each loan made during the reporting period and the balance of each loan owed to the committee at the end of the reporting period must be itemized.

Total of Loans Made And Repaid During Reporting Period:

6

Net Loaned During Reporting Period (Amount Lent minus Amount Paid)

Summary Page

This summary sheet will give a brief outline of all campaign finance activity during this reporting period. Please transfer all totals from the schedules previously completed.

Balance of cash and cash equivalents on hand, if any, at the beginning of

1. the reporting period: \$ 0

2. Receipts

Schedule A - Direct Contributions \$ 12775.00

Schedule B - In-Kind Contributions \$ 0

Schedule C - Other Income \$ 0

Schedule D -
Establishing/Administration of
Committee \$ 0

Total of all Receipts \$ 12775.00

3. Total Monetary Receipts (A+C) \$ 12775.00

4. Candidate's Personal Contribution to Own Campaign \$ 0

5. Monetary Loans to Candidate or Committee During Reporting Period \$ 0

6. Monetary Loans Repaid During Reporting Period \$ 0

7. Expenditures - Schedule E \$ 34.45

8. Unpaid Obligations - Schedule F \$ 0

Monetary Loans Made by the Committee During the
9. Reporting Period - Schedule G \$ 0

Monetary Loans Repaid to the Committee During the
10. Reporting Period - Schedule G \$ 0

11. Amount on hand at the close of this reporting period.

This should equal lines (1+3+4+5) - (6+7+9) *\$ 12740.55

***Note: You cannot end the reporting period with a negative balance.**

If you are a ballot question committee which received a contribution from an organization, please attach to this campaign finance disclosure statement, the Ballot Question Statement you received from the organization.

Campaign Finance Disclosure Statement Instructions

A sample of the campaign finance disclosure form is found in Appendix B of the guide. Additional copies of this reporting form may be obtained from the Secretary of State. Essentially the campaign financial disclosure form requires information on contributions received and expenditures made by the political committee or political party during the calendar year up to the cut off date of the reporting period. The following comments may assist proper completion of the forms.

Campaign finance disclosure statement shall include the following information:

Cover Page (Committee information, statement and signature):

- Political committee or political party name, street address, postal address, city, state, zip code, daytime and evening telephone number, and e-mail address;
- Type of campaign statement (pre-primary, pre-general, mid-year, year-end, amendment, supplement, or termination);
- If a ballot question committee, the ballot question number and whether the committee is for or against the measure;
- The statement shall include a certification that the contents of the statement is true and correct signed by the treasurer of the political committee or political party.

Schedule A (Monetary contributions from individuals):

- The total amount of contributions of one hundred dollars or less in the aggregate from one source received during the reporting period;
- The name, residence address, city, and state of each person contributing a contribution of more than one hundred dollars in the aggregate during the reporting period and the amount of the contribution. Any contribution from any political committee or political party shall be itemized. Any contribution from a federal political committee or political committee organized outside this state shall also include the name and internet website address of the filing office where campaign finance disclosure statements are regularly filed for the committee. If all of the information required is not on file, the political committee or political party may not deposit the contribution;

Schedule A - Continued (Contributions from political organizations):

- Any monetary or in-kind contribution made by the reporting political committee or political party to any political committee, political party, or nonprofit charitable organization shall be itemized;
 - *Comment: itemization is required for any contribution from a political committee or political party*

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